



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 7100

LCO No. 3949



Referred to Committee on VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Introduced by:
(VA)

***AN ACT CONCERNING AMERICAN LEGION STATE FUND
COMMISSION TRANSPARENCY.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Records of the American
2 Legion related to the administration of the Soldiers, Sailors and
3 Marines Fund, as described in sections 27-138 to 27-140, inclusive, of
4 the general statutes, shall be subject to disclosure under the Freedom
5 of Information Act, as defined in section 1-200 of the general statutes.
- 6 (b) The Treasurer, as custodian and trustee of the Soldiers, Sailors
7 and Marines Fund, as described in section 27-138 of the general
8 statutes, shall be entitled to receive a copy of any such record
9 described in subsection (a) of this section. Any request to inspect or
10 copy such record shall not be valid unless such request is made to the
11 Treasurer in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act. Any
12 complaint by a person who is denied the right to inspect or copy such
13 record shall be brought to the Freedom of Information Commission in
14 accordance with the provisions of sections 1-205 and 1-206 of the
15 general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To subject to the Freedom of Information Act any record of the American Legion related to the administration of the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Fund.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]